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General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

10:00 — *90th plenary meeting* — Conference Room 1 (CB)

[webcast]

1. Appointment of a member of the Joint Inspection Unit: Note by the President of the General Assembly [item 116 (h)] (A/68/898)

2. Protracted conflicts in the GUAM area and their implications for international peace, security and development [item 34]

   (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/68/868)

   (b) Draft resolution (A/68/L.47)

Security Council

10:00 — 7192nd meeting — Security Council Chamber (CB)

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda

2. International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991

   International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January 1994 and 31 December 1994

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Letter dated 15 May 2014 from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/343)

Letter dated 16 May 2014 from the President of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/350)

Letter dated 16 May 2014 from the President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991, addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/351)

Secretary-General's first annual high-level "Sustainable Energy for All Forum" [webcast]
(4 to 6 June 2014)

The Secretary-General will continue hosting the first annual high-level "Sustainable Energy for All Forum", *today*, 5, and *tomorrow*, 6 June 2014. For more information, including the conference rooms, please *click here*. For the morning plenaries on 5 and 6 June, please note that attendance will be limited to 1+1 participants per delegation.

Please contact the Executive Office of the Secretary-General (Mr. Trym Sonstad (e-mail sonstad@un.org)), to inscribe on the list of speakers for the debate on Friday, 6 June. Delegations are encouraged to limit their interventions to *two minutes*. For further information, please contact Mr. Daren Cheatham (e-mail cheathamd@un.org).

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal consultations on the outcome of the Fourth Review of the United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy will take place *today*, 5 June 2014, in the morning, immediately after the adjournment of the 90th plenary meeting in Conference Room 1 (CB).

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal informal consultations on draft decision entitled "Implementation of the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS and the Political Declaration on HIV/AIDS", will be held *today*, 5 June 2014, at 13:15, in Conference Room 9 (CB). Letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated 19 May and 28 May 2014, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
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Informal informal consultations on all issues related to the forthcoming third international conference on financing for development, including the date, format, organization and scope of the conference will take place *today*, 5 June 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Additional information is also available on the Financing for Development website, please *click here*.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal consultations on the modalities for the comprehensive review and assessment of the progress achieved in the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases will take place on Friday, 6 June 2014, at 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

A high-level event on "Contribution of Human Rights and the Rule of Law in the Post-2015 Development Agenda" will be held on Monday, 9 and Tuesday, 10 June 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 13 May 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are invited to contact the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail poliakova@un.org). Delegations are kindly requested to submit electronic versions of their statements for posting on the PaperSmart portal to papersmart@un.org. The title and the date of the meeting should be indicated in the subject line of the e-mail.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

An interactive dialogue on "Addressing Conditions Conducive to the Spread of Terrorism" will be held on Wednesday, 11 June 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly dated 19 May 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. Delegations are kindly requested to submit electronic versions of their statements for posting on the PaperSmart portal to papersmart@un.org. The title and the date of the meeting should be indicated in the subject line of the e-mail.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

The General Assembly will hold a plenary meeting on Wednesday, 11 June 2014, at 15:00, in the General Assembly Hall (NLB), to elect the President of the General Assembly at its sixty-ninth session (agenda item 4). Immediately following the plenary meeting, the Main Committees will hold their consecutive meetings for the purpose of electing their Chairs at the sixty-ninth session (agenda item 5) and their respective Bureaux. Immediately following the meetings of the Main Committees, the General Assembly will hold another plenary meeting to elect the Vice-Presidents at its sixty- ninth session (agenda item 6).

The Chairs of regional groups who have not yet communicated their nominations are requested to do so, *as soon as possible*, in order to facilitate the scheduled elections in a timely manner. Communications should be sent by e-mail to the General Assembly Affairs Branch (muturi@un.org) or sent by fax (1 (212) 963-3783). Telephone inquiries may be addressed to the focal point, Ms. Mary Muturi (tel. 1 (212) 963-2337). An updated list of candidates can be found on the CandiWeb *(click here)*.

General Assembly

Committee on Contributions
Seventy-fourth session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8 (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8 (NLB)

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (CB)
	Executive meeting	

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

15:00 to 18:00	284th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Economic and Social Council

2014 session

10:00 to 13:00	20th meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 2 (CB)
	Special meeting on international cooperation in tax matters	
10:00 to 10:45	*Opening of the meeting*	
	Statement by His Excellency Martin Sajdik (Austria), President of the Economic and Social Council	
	Introduction by Mr. Armando Lara Yaffar, Chair of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters, of the report of the Committee on its ninth session (E/2013/45-E/C.18/2013/6)	
	Oral report by Mr. Alexander Trepelkov, Director, Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, in accordance with paragraph 8 of the Economic and Social Council resolution 2013/24	
10:45 to 12:00	*Panel discussion on "International tax cooperation: Current issues on the agenda of international organizations"*	
	Moderator:	
	Mr. Alexander Trepelkov, Director, Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs	
	Panellists:	
	Mr. Pascal Saint-Amans, Director, Center for Tax Policy and Administration, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development	

Mr. Márcio Verdi, Executive Secretary, Inter-American Centre of Tax Administrations

Ms. Victoria Perry, Assistant Director, Fiscal Affairs Department, International Monetary Fund

Interactive discussion

12:00 to 13:00 *General discussion*

15:00–18:00 21st meeting [webcast] Conference Room 2 (CB)

15:00–16:30 *Panel discussion on "Current issues in domestic resource mobilization for development: Base erosion and profit shifting (BEPS)"*

Moderator:

Mr. Hugh Ault, Professor Emeritus, Boston College Law School

Panellists:

Ms. Carmel Peters (New Zealand), Coordinator, Subcommittee on Base Erosion and Profit Shifting Issues for Developing Countries

Mr. Brian Arnold, Senior Adviser, Canadian Tax Foundation, Toronto, Canada

Mr. Pascal Saint-Amans, Director, Center for Tax Policy and Administration, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

Ms. Phensuk Sangasubana, Head of the International Tax Division, Bureau of Tax Policy and Planning, Revenue Department, Thailand

Interactive discussion

16:30 to 17:45 *Panel discussion on "Extractive industries taxation issues for developing countries"*

Moderator:

Mr. Michael Lennard, Chief, International Tax Cooperation Unit, Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs

Panellists:

Ms. Lise-Lott Kana, Head of the Department of International Taxation, Internal Revenue Service, Chile

Mr. Stig Sollund, Director-General, Deputy Head of Tax Law Department, Ministry of Finance, Norway

Ms. Victoria Perry, Assistant Director, Fiscal Affairs Department, International Monetary Fund

Mr. Eric Nii Yarboi Mensah (Ghana), Coordinator, Subcommittee on Extractive Industries Taxation Issues for Developing Countries

Interactive discussion

17:45 to 18:00 *Conclusion of the meeting*

Statement by His Excellency Oh Joon (Republic of Korea), Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council

[For more information please, contact Ms. Dominika Halka (e-mail halka *at* un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6653); or *click here*.]

Committee for Programme and Coordination
Fifty-fourth session

10:00 to 13:00 8th meeting (closed) Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Programme questions [item 3]

(b) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2016-2017

Part two: biennial programme plan

Programme 27: Jointly financed activities (A/69/6 (Prog. 27) Section B (JIU))

Programme 25: Management and support services (A/69/6 (Prog. 25))

Programme 27: Jointly financed activities (A/69/6 (Prog. 27) Sect. A (ICSC) and Sect. C (CEB))

Introduction and general discussion

15:00 to 18:00 9th meeting (closed) Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Programme questions [item 3]

(b) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2016-2017

Part two: biennial programme plan

Programme 4: Peacekeeping operations (A/69/6 (Prog. 4))

Programme 3: Disarmament (A/69/6 (Prog. 3))

Introduction and general discussion

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Annual session

10:00 to 13:00 5th meeting [webcast] Conference Room 3 (CB)

1. Proposals for UNICEF programme cooperation [item 6]

(a) Draft country programme documents

The Executive Board will consider 9 draft country programme documents by region, as follows:

East Asia and the Pacific: Timor-Leste (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.3)

Eastern and Southern Africa: Angola (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.4); Comoros (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.5); Kenya (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.6)

Latin America and the Caribbean: Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.2)

Middle East and North Africa: Palestinian children and woman in Jordan, Lebanon, the Syrian Arab Republic and the State of Palestine (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.7); Tunisia (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.8)

South Asia: Afghanistan (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.9)

West and Central Africa: Sierra Leone (E/ICEF/2014/P/L.10)

(b) Extensions of ongoing country programmes

13:15 to 14:45 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 3 (CB)

15:00 to 17:00 6th meeting [webcast] Conference Room 3 (CB)

1. Proposals for UNICEF programme cooperation [item 6]
2. Creation of a fourth position of Assistant Secretary-General/Deputy Executive Director in UNICEF in the context of strengthened management for results across the organization [item 10] (E/ICEF/2014/AB/L.4)
3. Report of the Ethics Office [item 9] (E/ICEF/2014/11)

17:00 to 18:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 3 (CB)

[The Western European and Other States Group will meet daily from 09:00 to 09:45, in Conference Room C (CB).]

[Delegations are kindly requested to submit the electronic version of their statements to Mr. Dillon Leano (e-mail dleano@unicef.org)]

Economic and Social Council

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations
Informal consultations

The Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will hold informal consultations *today*, 5 June 2014, at 13:15, in Conference Room E (NLB). All members of the Committee are strongly encouraged to attend. Participation in the informal consultations is open to members of the Committee only.

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by permanent missions

The agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251, A/68/251/Add.1 and A/68/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

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General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening the role of mediation in conflict prevention and resolution: regional and subregional organizations" (under agenda item 33 (b)) (convened by the Permanent Missions of Turkey and Finland, on behalf of the Group of Friends of Mediation)

From 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room C (CB).

Economic and Social Council

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "United Nations Inter-Agency Task Force on the Prevention and Control of Non-communicable Diseases" (under item 10 (f) of the provisional agenda) (convened by the Permanent Mission of Russian Federation)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room C (CB).

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The family and sustainable development" (under item 16 (a) of the provisional agenda) (convened by the Permanent Mission of Belarus)

From 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Other meetings

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Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

09:00 to 09:45	Closed meeting	Conference Room C (CB)
13:15 to 14:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the draft declaration for the Group of 77 Summit)

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room C (CB)

Group of 77 (on the draft resolution on family and sustainable development)

11:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Room NL-2063

African Group (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Permanent Mission of Uganda (336 East 45th Street)

Other activities

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Thursday, 5 June 2014

International Treaties Seminar on "Road Safety" (co-organized by the Office of Legal Affairs, the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (ECE), the Regional Commissions New York Office and the International Road Transport Union)

From 09:45 to 12:30 and from 13:30 to 17:00, in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Mr. Robert Nowak (e-mail robert.nowak@unece.org), or Ms. Yesenia Kopperman (e-mail kopperman@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8088); or please *click here*.]

Event on "Sustainable Energy Partnerships and Small Island Developing States" (in observance of the World Environment Day 2014) (organized by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP))

From 13:10 to 14:20, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber (CB). [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Jim Sniffen, UNEP (e-mail snitfenj@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8094).]

Informal briefing on Urban Basic Services (organized by the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat))

From 13:15 to 15:00, in Conference Room S-1522.

[This meeting is open to members of permanent missions only. For further information, please contact the UN-Habitat New York Office (e-mail HabitatNY@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4200; room DC2-0943).]

Panel discussion on "Life under siege: Starvation as a weapon of war" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Denmark, France and Luxembourg)

From 13:15 to *14:30*, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB).

[All are invited. For further information and to register please contact the Permanent Mission of Danemark (e-mail nycmis@um.dk).]

Event "United Nations pays tribute to Gabriel García Márquez" (organized by the Group of Friends of Spanish)

At 17:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB). [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Diana Rengifo, Permanent Mission of Colombia (e-mail drengifo@colombianun.org; tel. 1 (212) 355-7776, ext. 238).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp

Thursday, 5 June 2014

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00 Press briefing by the Spokesperson

12:30 Press conference on "Sustainable Energy for All: Achieving Results and Shaping the Future" [*Speakers:* Mr. Kandeh Yumkella, Chief Executive Officer, Sustainable Energy for All Initiative; Ms. Naoko Ishii, Chief Executive Officer, Global Environment Facility; and Mr. Andris Piebalgs, European Union Commissioner for Development]

13:00 Press conference on "Launch of REmap 2030: A Renewable Energy Roadmap" [*Speaker:* Mr. Adnan Amin, Director-General, International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA)]

Forthcoming official meetings

Friday, 6 June 2014

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

10:00 *91st plenary meeting* Trusteeship Council Chamber

1. Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit: Draft resolution A/68/L.48 [item 118]
2. Implementation of the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS and the Political Declarations on HIV/AIDS: Report of the Secretary-General (A/68/625) [item 10]

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For an updated tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary meetings, please *click here*.

Please note that there is no predetermined programme of work for formal and informal meetings of the plenary for the resumed part of the session (1 January-15 September 2014). Meetings will be announced in the Journal when they are scheduled. For inscription on the list of speakers, please contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; room S-3082).

The agenda of the sixty-eighth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251 (see A/68/252 for allocation of items). Annotations can be found in documents A/68/100 and A/68/100/Add.1. The revised programme of work and

schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its sixty-eighth session was issued on 24 October 2013 in document A/INF/68/3/Rev.1.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations.

The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/68/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

General Assembly

South-South cooperation for development

High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation
Eighteenth session

The eighteenth session of the High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation will meet on Friday, 6 June 2014, in Conference Room 2 (CB), from 15:00 to 18:00, to conclude its work. It will begin with a meeting of the Working Group to formally approve the draft decisions before it, for submission to the High-Level Committee for action. Thereafter, the Committee will immediately convene in plenary, in the same room, to take action on the recommendations from the Working Group, consider the remaining items on its agenda, and bring the eighteenth session to a close.

Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals

Informal informal consultations

Informal informal consultations, convened by the co-chairs of the Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals, will be held on Monday, 9 to Tuesday, 10 June 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, and from 15:00 to 18:00, in the General Assembly Hall (NLB); and on Wednesday, 11 June, from 10:00 to 13:00, in the General Assembly Hall (NLB), and from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB).

Twelfth session

The twelfth session of the Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals will be held from Monday, 16, to Friday, 20 June 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB).

A letter from the Co-chairs of the Open Working Group, dated 2 June 2014, was sent along with the zero draft of the proposed sustainable development goals and targets.

For more information on the Open Working Group, please *click here*.

Preparatory Committee for the Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries

Pursuant to General Assembly resolution 68/270 of 23 April 2014, the first session of the Preparatory Committee for the Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries will be held on Thursday, 12 and Friday, 13 June 2014, in Conference Room 3 (CB). The annotated provisional agenda for the session is contained in document A/CONF.225/PC.1.

Regional groups are reminded to nominate two States each for the Bureau of the Preparatory Committee, pursuant to the said resolution. Nominations should be submitted, *in writing*, as soon as possible, by each regional group to the Secretariat (e-mail muturi@un.org). A letter from the secretariat, dated 8 May 2014, was sent to the Chairs of the regional groups for the month of May.

Delegates who wish to attend the session of the Preparatory Committee are kindly requested to communicate, as soon as possible, the composition of their delegations to the Secretary of the Preparatory Committee, Ms. Sonia Elliott (e-mail elliotts@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-3783).

Additional information on the Preparatory Committee is available from the Conference website (*click here*).

Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to study issues relating to the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity beyond areas of national jurisdiction

The Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to study issues relating to the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity beyond areas of national jurisdiction will be held from Monday, 16 to Thursday, 19 June 2014.

The meeting will be convened on Monday, 16 June, at 10:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

The provisional agenda of the meeting is contained in document A/AC.276/L.13. The format and annotated provisional agenda and organization of work are contained in document A/AC.276/L.14.

The above documents, as well as other relevant information on the Working Group, are available on the website of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs *(click here)*.

Delegations that have not done so are kindly reminded to submit the names of their representatives participating in the meeting of the Working Group to the Division *by Friday, 13 June 2014* (e-mail doalos@un.org; room DC2-450; fax 1 (917) 367-0560).

To consult the list of side events scheduled to be held during the Meeting please *click here*.

Fifth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects

The Fifth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects will be held from Monday, 16 to Friday, 20 June 2014, in Conference Room 3 (CB). The provisional agenda of the Meeting is contained in document A/CONF.192/BMS/2014/L.1. Further information can be found on the meeting website *(click here)*.

Regional groups that have not done so are invited to nominate three States each (two from the Group of Asia-Pacific States as it provides the Chair-designate) for the Bureau of the meeting. Nominations should be submitted, *in writing*, by each regional group to the Secretary of the meeting, Mr. Kenji Nakano (mail leu@un.org) with a copy to conventionalarms-unoda@un.org. A note verbale from the Office for Disarmament Affairs dated 17 January 2014 was sent to all permanent missions.

Participants are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the Secretary. Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

Delegations are informed that PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for the Meeting. The official documentation of the Meeting is available electronically via the PaperSmart Portal in all official languages.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least two hours in advance of delivery to papersmart1@un.org and bring only 20 copies of their statement for technical services. The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. All such statements will be made available on the BMS5 PaperSmart Portal only after delivery by delegations. In addition, a print-on-demand service will be made available to delegations, with a dedicated desk set up for this in the conference room.

Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

Conference of States Parties

Seventh session

The seventh session of the Conference of the States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities will take place at Headquarters from Tuesday, 10, to Thursday, 12 June 2014. The provisional agenda (CRPD/CSP/2014/1) and other

documents (CRPD/CSP/2014/2, CRPD/CSP/2014/3 and CRPD/CSP/2014/4) are available. To check the list of side events please *click here*.

Quorum

Pursuant to Rule 12 of the Provisional Rules of Procedure for the Conference of States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, the necessary quorum for the meeting is two-third of the States Parties. In order to avoid lack of quorum which may lead to substantial delay or call off of the meeting of the States Parties, it is imperative for the States Parties to be present prior to the meeting.

Credentials

Pursuant to Rule 7 of the Provisional Rules of Procedure for the Conference of States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, the credentials of representatives and the names of members of a delegation issued by the Head of State or Government or by the Minister for Foreign Affairs should be submitted to the Secretary-General prior to the opening of the session. The original copy of the credentials shall be sent to the secretariat (Room S-2905).

Accessibility

States parties are requested to provide accessibility requirements of their delegates in order for the Secretariat to facilitate their participation in meetings.

A staffed satellite United Nations Accessibility Centre will be operational in the Temporary North Lawn Building during the session of the Conference of States Parties. Devices can be borrowed by registered participants by submitting a valid Photo ID and are for use on the United Nations premises only.

Papersmart

The session will be a Papersmart conference. All delegations may submit their full statement for posting on the PaperSmart portal *(click here)* by e-mailing to the secretariat their statements in accessible Microsoft Word format, *at the earliest* convenience before or during the Conference of the States Parties.

For further information concerning the Conference of States Parties, please contact the Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, DESA (e-mails zhangg@un.org and enable@un.org); or visit United Nations Enable website *(click here)*.

United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Executive Board
Annual session 2014

The annual session 2014 of the Executive Board of United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women) will be held from Tuesday, 17, to Thursday, 19 June 2014, in Conference Room 2 (CB). The annotated provisional agenda and work plan for the session are contained in document UNW/2014/L.3. Advance copies of documentation are available on the UN-Women Executive Board website. Member States, observers and other organizations attending the session, are requested to e-mail their credentials (names and titles of each delegation member, on official letterhead), as well as any requests to be on the speakers list (e-mail rocio.torres@unwomen.org), as early as possible, *but no later than Wednesday, 11 June*

2014. Delegations are also requested to communicate their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene (i.e. 2. Strategic plan; 3. Evaluation; 4. Pledging event; and 5. Audit matters).

The upcoming annual session will be PaperSmart as usual. All official documentation will be available on the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal and will not be distributed by conference services during the session. Delegations are invited to send electronic copies of their statements by e-mail to the PaperSmart Secretariat (e-mail papersmart.eb@unwomen.org), at least two hours in advance of their speaking slot. The statements will be distributed electronically via the PaperSmart Portal at the time of delivery, and will be under embargo until then. Delegations are kindly requested to provide 15 hard copies of official statements for interpretation and other services.

Delegations are encouraged to carry their laptops, tablets and/or other mobile devices to be able to access the official documents and statements from the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal.

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties

Open-ended Working Group

The Open-ended Working Group on the Conditions of Service of the Members of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, established by the Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, will hold a meeting on Friday, 6 June 2014, at 15:00 in the Conference Room of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs (DC2 Building, 4th Floor). All interested delegations are invited to attend.

Twenty-fourth Meeting

The Twenty-fourth Meeting of States Parties to the 1982 United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will be held from Monday, 9 to Friday, 13 June 2014. The Meeting will be convened on Monday, 9 June 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

The provisional agenda of the Meeting is contained in document SPLOS/L.73, available through the Official Document System of the United Nations *(click here)* as well as through the website of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs *(click here)*.

The original credentials of representatives and alternate representatives as well as the names of other members who will form part of the delegations of States Parties should be transmitted to the Secretariat (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs, room DC2-0450, United Nations, New York, NY 10017) duly signed, in accordance with rule 13 (2) of the Rules of Procedure for Meetings of States Parties (SPLOS/2/Rev.4), by the Head of State or Government or the Minister for Foreign Affairs or any person authorized by either of them.

In order to ensure a timely conduct of the two elections that will take place during the Meeting (election of seven members of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea (see SPLOS/264, SPLOS/265 and SPLOS/266) and election of one member of the

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf (see SPLOS/269)). States parties are requested to submit their credentials, *no later than Friday, 6 June 2014*.

In conformity with the understanding reached by the twenty-third Meeting of States Parties (see SPLOS/263, paragraph 101), it is expected that the credentials will be valid for the period from Monday, 9, to Friday, 13 June 2014 and, to the extent practicable, also thereafter until the convening of the twenty-fifth Meeting of States Parties.

Observers are requested to transmit to the Division (room DC2-450) the names of the representatives who will form part of the observer delegation.

Delegations wishing to make a statement on the first day of the Meeting of States Parties during the commemoration of World Oceans Day and/or the twentieth anniversary of the entry into force of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, from 15:00 to 18:00, *should inscribe* their names on the list of speakers. To do so, and for more information, contact the Secretary of the Meeting (e-mails doalos@un.org or santosuosso@un.org).

Copies for distribution at the meeting are to be provided by the delegations.

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

Joint open briefing

The Chair of Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism will hold a joint open briefing with the Counter-Terrorism Implementation Task Force (CTITF) on Wednesday, 11 June 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. Mr. Taleb Rifai, Secretary General of the World Tourism Organization will make a statement on the protection of critical tourism infrastructure. There will be a question and answer session in the open briefing.

For further information, please contact Ms. Johnette Mannato, CTITF (e-mail mannato@un.org, tel. 1 (212) 963-2496; or Ms. Fei Xing, CTED (e-mail xing@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 457-1809).

Economic and Social Council

2014 session

Informal consultations

The Vice-Presidency of the Council (Republic of Korea) will convene informal consultations facilitated by Mr. Tong Lee (Republic of Korea) on the recommendations contained in the report of the Committee for Development Policy at its sixteenth session (E/2014/33) on Friday, 6 June 2014, from *10:30* to 13:00, and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Korea (335 East 45th Street).

Informal consultations

Informal consultations on behalf of the Vice-Presidency of the Economic and Social Council (Libya), convened by the co-facilitators (Bangladesh and Switzerland), on the draft resolution of the humanitarian affairs segment of the 2014 session of the Council (item 7 of the provisional agenda), will be held on Friday, 6 June 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 9 (CB).

Coordination and management meeting (12–13 June 2014)

The second coordination and management meeting of the 2014 session of the Council and chaired by the Vice-President of the Council, His Excellency Oh Joon (Republic of Korea), will take place from Thursday, 12 to Friday, 13 June, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB). A tentative programme of work of the coordination and management meeting is available by *clicking here* and the draft matrix of likely action by the Council in 2014 during the coordination and management meeting is available by *clicking here*.

General discussion and list of speakers

The general discussion of the items of the second coordination and management meeting is open. Requests for inscription on the list of speakers should be sent, in writing, with the full name and title of the speaker, to the Secretary of the Council, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org; room S-1284, fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). Inscriptions to the list of speakers will close by *17:00 on Wednesday, 11 June 2014*. The time limit set for statements is seven minutes for speakers on behalf of groups and five minutes for individual delegations.

Further information on the 2014 session of the Council is available by *clicking here*, or contact Mr. Marc-Andre Dorel, Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination (e-mail dorel@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7204).

List of participants

Delegations are kindly requested to send the names of the representatives and alternates attending the coordination and management meeting to the Secretary of the Council, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Jacqueline Aidenbaum (e-mail aidenbaum@un.org; room S-1271; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)), with a copy to Ms. Stephanie Rudy (e-mail rudy@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-7454). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail. Delegations are advised that only one list of participants will be issued at the end of the 2014 session, containing the names of the participants to all segments.

PaperSmart arrangements for the 2014 session of the Council

Delegates are reminded that PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for all the meetings of the 2014 session of the Economic and Social Council.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services

Pre-session informal consultations

The Executive Board of UNDP, UNFPA and UNOPS, will hold a pre-session informal consultations on Monday, 9 June 2014, from 11:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

All interested delegations are invited to attend.

Informal consultations

The Executive Board of UNDP, UNFPA and UNOPS, will hold an informal consultations on Wednesday, 11 June 2014, in Conference Room B (CB), as follows:

From 10:00 to 11:30: on the UNDP's Evaluation; and

From 11:30 to 13:00: on the United Nations Capital Development Fund's Integrated Results and Resources Matrix and Results Oriented Annual Report (UNCDF's IRRM and ROAR 2013)

All interested delegations are invited to attend.

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by permanent missions

The agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251, A/68/251/Add.1 and A/68/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening the role of mediation in conflict prevention and resolution: regional and subregional organizations" (under agenda item 33 (b)) (convened by the Permanent Missions of Turkey and Finland, on behalf of the Group of Friends of Mediation)

Friday, 6 June 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room C (CB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

Friday, 6 June 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

OIC Group (experts on Development)

Friday, 6 June 2014, from 09:45 to 10:45, in Conference Room 9 (CB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Event entitled "Rule of Law, Human Rights and Democracy in the Post-2015 Development Agenda: Sharing Cross-Regional Perspectives on Democratic Accountability in Public Service Delivery" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Chile, Morocco, Norway, Peru and Romania and by the International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance (IDEA))

Monday, 9 June 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Elisabeta David, Permanent Mission of Romania (e-mail elisabeta.david@romaniaun.org, tel. 1 (212) 682-3273).]

High-level event on "The Rule of Law, Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice in the United Nations Development Agenda Beyond 2015: Engendering a 'Human Rights for all' approach" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Italy, Qatar and Thailand and by the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC))

Monday, 9 June 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and registration, please contact Ms. Daisy Amornvivat, Permanent Mission of Thailand (e-mail daisy.thaimission@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 754-2230, ext. 133).]

Panel discussion on the "Consequences of the disastrous floods and presentation of needs assessment for the affected regions in Bosnia and Herzegovina" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Bosnia and Herzegovina)

Monday, 9 June 2014, from 15:30 to 17:30, in Conference Room 9 (CB).

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Aida Hodzic, Permanent Mission of Bosnia and Herzegovina (e-mail bihun@mfa.gov.ba; tel. 1 (212) 751-9015).]

Panel discussions on "Practices in and reflections on development, security, and peace in contexts of violent extremism and terrorism by government, civil society and community delegates" (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Netherlands)

Tuesday, 10 June 2014, from 09:00 to 11:30, at the Permanent Mission of the Netherlands (666 Third Avenue, 19th floor); and from 12:15 to 15:00, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

[All are invited. For further information and to register, please contact Ms. Visser, e-mail siebrich@hscollective.org; or the Permanent Mission of the Netherlands, Ms. Maria van Steendelaar (e-mail maria-van.steendelaar@minbuza.nl); tel. 1 (212) 519-9718).]

Event on "Criminal Justice Systems-Counter - Terrorism capacity building" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Pakistan, the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED) and the Counter-Terrorism Implementation Task Force (CTITF))

Tuesday, 10 June 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Mary Anne Cruz, CTITF Office (e-mail cruz14@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-0541).]

Interactive dialogue on "Addressing conditions conducive to the spread of terrorism" (convened by the Office of the President of the General Assembly)

Presentation on "United Nations Victims of Terrorism Support Portal" (by the Counter-Terrorism Implementation Task Force Office, Department of Political Affairs)

Wednesday, 11 June 2014, from 09:30 to 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

Keynote address by the Secretary General and Interactive Dialogue

Wednesday, 11 June 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Fabrizio Trezza, Counter-Terrorism Implementation Task Force Office (e-mail trezza@un.org, 1 (212) 963-4134).]

Interactive dialogue with Interfaith Leaders on "Towards Zero Exploitation of Women and Children 2030 Agenda" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Burundi, in collaboration with The Connected Hearts, Inc.)

Wednesday, 11 June 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact the Perrmanent Mission of Burundi (tel. 1 (212) 499-0001, 1 (212) 499-0002 or 1 (646) 322-5837); or e-mail to info@theconnectedhearts.org.]

High-level event on "Security and sustainable tourism; The experience of Central America" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Honduras and Spain)

Thursday, 12 June 2014, at 08:45, in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Victoria González-Román, Permanent Mission of Spain (e-mail mvictoria.gonzalez@maec.es; tel. 1 (212) 661-1050, ext. 318); or Ms. Karla García, Permanent Mission of Honduras (e-mail honduras_un@hotmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 752-3370).]

Announcements

Reduced capacity to accommodate meetings during Capital Master Plan (CMP) Migration of conference rooms

With the Capital Master Plan migration of the conference rooms, from the North Lawn Building to the General Assembly Building, Conference Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and the General Assembly Hall in the North Lawn Building are scheduled to go off-line on Friday, 29 August 2014. The equivalent refurbished rooms in the General Assembly Building are expected to be in meeting ready condition on Monday, 15 September 2014. Therefore, the capacity of the Department of General Assembly Conference Management to accommodate additional meetings during that period will be severely limited.

***Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))**

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

Paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement are available in room DC2-0880B.

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Regional Courses in International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Regional Courses in International Law (RCIL) provide high-quality training by leading scholars and practitioners on a broad range of core subjects of international law, as well as specific subjects of particular interest to the countries in a given region. The Regional Courses also provide an opportunity for the participants to focus on contemporary issues of international law in the region with a view to promoting greater understanding and cooperation on such issues. For further information, please consult the website of the Regional Courses (*click here*).

The Regional Courses are dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their deep appreciation to Australia for providing the necessary voluntary contribution to fund the Regional Course in International Law for Africa that was held in Addis Ababa (Ethiopia) from Monday, 7 April to 2 May 2014. This generous contribution has made possible this session of the Regional Course.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are also seeking voluntary contributions for the Regional Courses in International Law for Africa, for Asia-Pacific and for Latin America and the Caribbean for 2015. The

Codification Division would need to receive notification of such voluntary contributions *by Friday, 1 August 2014*, to proceed with plans for such courses in 2015.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division wish to express their appreciation to the two Member States that have made voluntary contributions in 2014 to support the Regional Courses in International Law for Africa namely, China, and for Asia-Pacific, namely, China and Saudi Arabia, for 2015.

For additional information concerning voluntary contributions, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by more than one million people in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the two Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

International Law Commission Trust Fund

Pursuant to paragraph 21 of General Assembly 62/66 resolution, the Secretary-General in 2008 established a Trust Fund to accept voluntary contributions so as eliminate the backlog of the *Yearbook of the International Law Commission*. Under paragraph 26 of its resolution 68/112, the General Assembly expressed its appreciation to Governments that have made voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund and encouraged further contributions to the Trust Fund.

In accordance with the terms of reference of the trust fund, voluntary contributions may be received from Governments, intergovernmental and nongovernmental organizations, private institutions and individuals. A circular letter has been issued to Governments through their Permanent missions.

Should additional information be required on the Trust Fund, please contact Ms. Marianne Sooksatan (e-mail sooksatan@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5331).

Credentials for forthcoming elections of members of human rights treaty bodies

With a view to facilitating the timely submission of credentials for all meetings of States parties convened to elect members of human rights treaty bodies, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights wishes to give all states parties to the international human rights treaties advance notice that the following meetings of states parties will take place in 2014:

Seventh session of the Conference of States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (10-12 June 2014): election to replace nine members of the Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities whose terms expire on 31 December 2014 (*click here* for general information);

Thirty-fourth meeting of States Parties to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (24 June 2014): election to replace nine members of the Human Rights Committee whose terms expire on 31 December 2014, and extraordinary election to replace one Member of the Committee who resigned (*click here* for general information);

Fifteenth meeting of States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of the Child (25 June 2014): election to replace nine members of the Committee on the Rights of the Child whose terms expire on 28 February 2015 (*click here* for general information); and

Eighteenth meeting of States Parties to the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (26 June 2014): election to replace twelve members of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women whose terms expire on 31 December 2014 (*click here* for general information).

The rules of procedure of each meeting require delegations to submit credentials to the Secretary-General *prior to the meeting*. Many delegations fail to provide such credentials in time and the Secretariat continues to receive obsolete credentials

many months after the meetings have concluded. All States Parties are kindly requested to put in place the necessary arrangements to ensure that credentials for each of these meetings are submitted *no later than one week before* the meeting in question.

Delegations are reminded that the credentials of representatives and the names of members of the delegation must be issued by the Head of State or Government or by the Minister for Foreign Affairs.

Original copies of credentials and names of delegates for the Conference of States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities only should be submitted to the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) (Attn: Mr. Guozhong Zhang (e-mail zhangg@un.org; room S-2906)). Original copies of credentials and names of delegates, duly signed by the head of state or government or foreign minister, for all other meetings should be submitted to the New York Office of the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (Attn: Mr. Nenad Vasić (e-mail vasic@un.org; room S-1309)).

Details on the procedures for the nomination of candidates for each of these elections will be communicated to States parties via notes verbales from OHCHR Geneva.

For any clarifications on these elections, please see Candiweb, consult OHCHR's guide on treaty body elections *(click here)*, or contact Mr. James Turpin, OHCHR (e-mail turpin@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-3292).

For clarifications regarding the Conference of States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities *not related to the elections*, please contact DESA.

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions, in room DC2-1142 (or otherwise indicated), for the month of *June*:

Law Library Overview

Overview of Dag Hammarskjold Library resources and databases

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All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (http://www.un.libcal.com/).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 4 June 2014

Security Council

[archived video]

7191st meeting

The situation in Somalia

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of Somalia to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Ms. Valerie Amos, Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item.

The Council heard a briefing by Ms. Amos.

General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

Main Committees

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

[archived video]

26th meeting

Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects [item 53]

The Chair made a statement.

The representative of Egypt, in his capacity as Rapporteur of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, introduced the report of the Special Committee (A/68/19) and draft resolution A/C.4/68/L.21.

Action on draft resolution A/C.4/68/L.21

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution had no programme budget implications.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/68/L.21, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 53.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the Convention on Biological Diversity. Nagoya, 29 October 2010

Ratification: Spain (3 June 2014)

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *June 2014* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Liberia
Her Excellency Marjon Kamara

Asia-Pacific States:
Information to be provided in the next issue of the *Journal*.

Eastern European States:
Bosnia and Herzegovina
Her Excellency Mirsada Čolaković

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Cuba
His Excellency Rodolfo Reyes Rodríguez

Western European and other States:
United Kingdom
His Excellency Sir Mark Lyall Grant

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Office of the President of the Council (e-mailed dpa-scsb3@un.org; room S-2472; fax 1 (917) 367-0406). For queries, please call to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Website of the presidency

The website of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/.

Unscheduled meetings

Information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by clicking on "Programme of work" on the website of the Security Council at www.un.org/en/sc; or by calling to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Room Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room S-0220).

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Back issues of the *Journal*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp and www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp.

All comments and suggestions about the *Journal* are welcome. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

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Emergency information and updates can be obtained on the United Nations Headquarters Emergency Information website at emergency.un.org and delegateinfo.un.int. The website also offers the option of subscription to e-mail, SMS and voice call alerts. In addition, a hotline number for updates during weather emergencies or other urgent situations can be accessed by calling 1 (212) 963-9800.

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Sign-up is free and easy by visiting the eSubscription page at www.undocs.org. An overview of all documents with the options "e-mail" or "RSS" next to each document category is located there. After sign-up, documents will be sent to the subscriber via e-mail as soon as they are made available. Comments, questions and suggestions are invited to be sent to helpdesk@un.org.

Touch screen information kiosks

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations and staff to use the two touch screen information kiosks located in the North Lawn Building to access the official meeting schedule, the *Journal of the United Nations*, the Delegates' Handbook, the Blue Book and the United Nations Staff Yellow Pages, as well as Headquarters and Conference Room Maps. These easy to use kiosks are located on the ground floor just after the First Avenue entrance security checkpoint and on the second floor next to the Café. DGACM welcomes feedback, questions or comments pertaining to the information kiosks, which can be addressed to helpdesk@un.org.

Websites

Department for General Assembly and Conference Management
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Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
www.un.org/en/sc/ctc/

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)
www.un.org/sc/1540/

Department of Economic and Social Affairs
www.un.org/en/development/desa/index.html

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www.un.org/en/ecosoc/

Office for Disarmament Affairs
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United Nations Treaty Collection
http://treaties.un.org/

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law
owww.un.org/law/avl/

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www.un.org/depts/dhl/

International Court of Justice
www.icj-cij.org/

Journal of the United Nations
www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp

United Nations Press Releases
www.un.org/en/unpress/index.asp

United Nations Webcast
www.unmultimedia.org/tv/webcast/index.html

Yearbook of the United Nations
http://unyearbook.un.org

UN Chronicle
www.un.org/chronicle

PaperSmart portal
www.papersmart.unmeetings.org

Documents issued at United Nations Headquarters on Wednesday, 4 June 2014

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A/69/42	Report of the Disarmament Commission for 2014 — Supplement No. 42 [A C E F R S] — *10 pages*
General Assembly	**Documents**
	Sixty-ninth session
A/68/889–S/2014/372	Item 110 — Measures to eliminate international terrorism — Identical letters dated 24 May 2014 from the Permanent Representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*
A/68/892–S/2014/380	Item 42 — Question of Cyprus — Letter dated 27 May 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Turkey to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*
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A/ES-10/629–S/2014/381	Item 5 — Illegal Israeli actions in Occupied East Jerusalem and the rest of the Occupied Palestinian Territory — Identical letters dated 29 May 2014 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Observer Mission of the State of Palestine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*
Security Council	**Documents**
A/68/889–S/2014/372	Identical letters dated 24 May 2014 from the Permanent Representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

S/2014/374 Chad, Nigeria and Rwanda: draft resolution [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*

A/68/892–S/2014/380 Letter dated 27 May 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Turkey to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

A/ES-10/629–S/2014/381 Identical letters dated 29 May 2014 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Observer Mission of the State of Palestine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

S/Agenda/7181 Provisional agenda [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

S/Agenda/7190 Provisional agenda [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

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